



NOT GUILTY SAYS JURY

On Account Of Insanity,
But Held by Court.

TAKEN TO MATTEAWAN

Thaw Elated When The Foreman
of the Jury Said
"NOT GUILTY"

OBEYS ORDERS OF THE COURT

Commanded His Counsel to Get Out
Habeas Corpus Papers—Littleton
Succeeded in Persuading Him to
Obey the Order of the Court.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Adjudged not guilty of the murder of Stanford White by reason of insanity at the time the shots were fired, Harry Kendall Thaw today was held by the court to be a dangerous lunatic and was whisked away to the state hospital for the criminal insane at Matteawan. It was a quick transition from a dingy little cell in the Tombs which had been the young man's home for more than 18 months, to white-bedded wards of the big asylum, tucked away on the snow-covered banks of the Hudson 50 miles above the city. The verdict came after 25 hours of waiting, and when every one connected with the case had abandoned all hope of an agreement ever being reached in this or any other trial. Four hours after the foreman's lips had framed the words "Not guilty" with the accompanying insanity clause, Thaw, protesting he is sane, was on his way to Matteawan. A little after nightfall he had been received in the institution under commitment papers which directed his detention "Until discharged by due course of law." The first thrill of words of acquittal brought Thaw to his feet in the court room and with a lack of grace of action which has always characterized his movements, he awkwardly, almost haughtily bowed his acknowledgments to the 12 jurymen as they were discharged by the court. A smile played about his pallid features and there was every reason to believe he is entirely pleased at the outcome. It was after he heard the words committing himself to Matteawan on the ground, in the opinion of the court, that his released endangered public safety and it was after the elation of his acquittal had worn off that Thaw rebelled.

He commanded his attorneys to sue out a writ of habeas corpus to have his sanity tested before he was sent away to the asylum and Mrs. Thaw joined in the demand of her son. Little, however, after a lively scene, finally prevailed against the wishes of his mother indicating he believed it better for the present to obey the mandate of the court.

Judge Dowling it is said had been consulted and had advised against Thaw's taking immediate action.

On the way to Matteawan, Thaw dictated the following authorized statement to a representative of the Associated Press:

"I am perfectly sane now but I am going to Matteawan on the advice of my counsel, who thought it unwise to sue for a writ of habeas corpus at this time. My counsel will proceed in the matter just as soon as they get together the proofs that I am at present sane. I am confident my stay at Matteawan will be for a short period of time only."

Thaw was cheered by the crowd of several hundred persons as he was whisked away from the Tombs in his

wife's automobile. If he heard he paid no heed. The machine was so filled with the deputies and the members of his counsel that neither Thaw nor his wife were visible to the waiting throngs.

GREAT SOUTH BAY FROZEN.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Great South Bay on the Long Island Shore is frozen over from shore to shore for the first time this winter and ice boat owners are preparing for a series of regattas. Boats are also being shipped from here to Orange Lake, near Newburgh, N. Y., where a series of challenge matches between boats from the two localities will be sailed.

SHAW TO RIDE HERE.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—It was learned last night that Jockey Wm. Shaw who has been riding with success in Germany has decided to remain in America and rides on the tacks in the vicinity of New York. Shaw is likely to don the colors of the Cassidy stable.

TOURIST RESORT BURNED.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Feb. 1.—The Hamilton Hotel, a tourist resort on the banks of the Suwanee river, at White Springs, Fla., was completely destroyed by fire last night. The house was crowded with winter visitors and many narrow escapes from death, eight being overcome by the smoke, and carried from the burning hotel. All cottages and outhouses on the hotel property were also destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$100,000. The fire, it is said, was caused by a defective electric light wire.

FULTON'S TWO BILLS

Reported Favorably by the Sub-Committee.

THE REVENUE CUTTER BILL

Earnest Effort is to be Made to Pass the Bill in the House and the Delegation Think it Will be Accomplished.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Senator Fulton today took up with the House members of the Oregon delegation his bill appropriating \$250,000 for a revenue cutter for the Oregon Coast service, which passed the Senate last evening. Earnest effort is to be made to pass the bill in the House, and the delegation believes this will be accomplished.

The Senate Interstate Commerce Committee has referred Senator Fulton's bill amending the rate law to a sub-committee consisting of Clapp, Dolliver and Lattimer. The subcommittee today informed Senator Fulton that they would report bill favorably, amending it so that discretion will be given the Interstate Commerce Commission to suspend or allow an advance in freight rates pending a hearing of complaints by the commission. The request of the railroads for a hearing prior to action on the Fulton bill will not be granted.

BILLIARD MATCHES.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—A series of matches between billiard experts will begin Monday night when Ora Morningstar and Thomas J. Gallagher will start play at 182 balk line billiards of 500 points each, to be played on successive evenings.

ESCAPED CONVICT CAUGHT.

BUTTE, Mont., Feb. 1.—Detective Williams has apprehended an escaped life convict from the state penitentiary at Joliet, Ill. The man is lodged in the county jail, doing a term for vagrancy. His name is John Sullivan alias Shannon, and was sent up for murder. He admits his identity.

KING CARLOS AND CROWN PRINCE ASSASSINATED

Lisbon is Panic Stricken and Wears an Air of Utter Desolation.

PRINCE MANUEL NOT SERIOUSLY WOUNDED

Among the First to be Called into the Critical Situation Was Premier Franco, Dictator of the Kingdom—He Was Protected by a Squadron of Cavalrymen.

QUEEN WILL BE THE REGENT DURING MINORITY OF PRINCE

TRAGEDY OCCURRED ABOUT 5:30 IN THE AFTERNOON—IT WAS SOME HOURS BEFORE ASSASSINATION WAS PERMITTED TO BE SENT BROADCAST—THEATRES, CAFES AND ALL BUSINESS AT A STANDSTILL—COURIERS SENT OUT TO SUMMON ALL SKILLED PHYSICIANS TO SAVE LIFE OF PRINCE MANUEL—PREMIER IS SUMMONED

LISBON, Portugal, Feb. 1.—King Carlos and the Crown Prince Louis Philippe have been assassinated. The three persons who committed the murders were killed on the spot.

The royal family were seated in an open carriage in which they just returned from Villa Vicoza, where they had been sojourning. At the corner of Peraca de Commercio and the Rue de Arsenal, a group of men suddenly sprang toward their carriage and leveling carbines which they had concealed upon themselves, fired and mortally wounded the king and the crown prince, and slightly wounding the king's second son, Prince Manuel. Queen Amelia, who rose in the carriage and tried to shield the Crown Prince was unhurt.

The king and crown prince upon whom the attack was directed were each shot three times and they lived only long enough to be carried to the marine arsenal near by, where they expired. Almost at the first shot the king fell back on the cushions, dying, and at the same moment the crown prince was seen to half rise and then sink back into his seat. Queen Amelia jumped up and threw herself toward the crown prince in an apparent effort to save his life at the cost of her own, but the prince had already received his death wound. The police guard fired upon the assassins and killed two of them. The third is believed to have committed suicide after he was placed in jail. A strong guard was in attendance, because of the recent uprising in the city and the discovery of a plot to assassinate Premier Franco and overthrow the monarchy. But a band of murderers had selected a most advantageous spot for the commission of the crime for they were concealed from the eyes of the party until the vehicle had come into the Praca de Commercio, a large square, and before any of the guards were aware what was happening the assassins had leaped to the carriage and instantly a fusillade of shots rang out. In a moment all was in a terrible confusion, the king and crown prince being shot down without the slightest chance to save themselves. The police guards sprang upon the regicides, the number of whom is somewhat uncertain, and killed two of them and captured a third who is believed to have committed suicide. It is charged that one of the murderers was a Spaniard. The bodies of the king and crown prince were removed from the arsenal in two closed carriages to the royal palace. An examination of the wounds of the king showed three bullets had reached their mark. One wound was situated in the nape of the neck, a second in the shoulder and the third which was the fatal wound, as it severed the carotid artery. The crown

prince was still breathing, but who died almost immediately after his admission to the arsenal, had suffered three wounds in the head and chest. Two bullets had struck Prince Manuel. The news of the assassination swept through the city like wild fire through dry grass, and tonight half the populace are panic-stricken, not knowing where the next blow may fall. There is the greatest dread for the future of the country which seems on the verge of being plunged into the throes of a revolution with all the horrors of bloodshed.

Throughout the city consternation reigns and all the houses and business places are barricaded. Cold-blooded murder has sent a thrill of horror throughout the country even among those who have been working politically for the establishment of a republic and sorrow is expressed on every hand at the dreadful end of the kind and crown prince. At first blush 'twould seem as though the assassination was the work of anarchists and not of Republican sympathizers.

Nevertheless the stirring events of the last few weeks have prepared the public for some startling culmination. The discovery of plot after plot as well as the discovery of many secret stories of weapons and ammunition has demonstrated beyond peradventure, the existence of a determination on the part of a large body of Portuguese to overthrow the present conditions and to proclaim a republic. The tragedy occurred about 5:30 this afternoon, but the panic which instantly gripped the city and all its activities prostrated all kinds of communication and it was not for some hours that the news of the assassination was permitted to be sent broadcast. Lisbon tonight wears an air of utter desolation. Theatres and cafes are closed, the streets are almost deserted and the electric cars are moving without passengers. In short the city has shut itself up in its houses. All efforts are being made to save the life of Prince Manuel and couriers went through the streets summoning all the skilled physicians that reside in Lisbon. The latest bulletin from the bedside states that at present there is no danger of complications from the wounds. The greatest fear is the possibility of blood poisoning later. Among the first to be called into the critical situation was Premier Franco, dictator of the kingdom. Franco was protected by a squadron of cavalrymen as he hastened to the palace where he conferred with the queen who it is understood will be regent during the minority of Prince Manuel who is now in his 19th year. The details of the murders show that they were cunningly arranged. The fact that the royal family were returning from Villa Vicoza

had been made public in advance and the authorities had arranged what they considered a sufficient guard along the route which the royal carriage was to take. The king and family had returned to Lisbon after a day of the greatest excitement on account of the wholesale arrests, and the continual discovery of new depots of arms and bombs.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Official news of the assassination of King Carlos and the Crown Prince Louis Philippe of Portugal was received late tonight in a cablegram from Minister Brian. The President was at once notified by Acting Secretary of State Bacon and expressed his deep sorrow.

FOUR YEARS FOR ARSON.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Mrs. Annie Ackerly, the first woman ever accused of arson in Brooklyn has been sentenced to service four years in prison. According to the evidence, Mrs. Ackerly in order to collect on a \$1,000 fire insurance policy, set fire to the contents of her apartment in a Brooklyn tenement house, endangering the lives of scores of people living in the same building. The evidence showed that oil soaked rags had been spread about the rooms and candles set where when they burned down they would light this combustible. Beds and furniture were also soaked with oil and blankets were tacked over the windows to screen the light of the fires from passers on the street.

HEPBURN BILL HELPS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 1.—From a help-less condition of rebates and preferential rates the Hepburn law has released the railroads and its value can hardly be over-estimated, both to the railroad and to the great majority of the public which did not participate in profit by such practices.

BIG BANK RESERVE

Statement Of Clearing House Banks For Week

MILLIONS ABOVE RESERVE

Loans Decrease—Deposits and Surplus Increase Nearly Fifteen Millions—Reserved Required \$284,625,375.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The statement of the clearing-house banks for the week shows that the banks hold \$40,520,725 more than the requirements of the 25 per cent reserve rule. This is an increase of \$3,462,225 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week. The statement follows:

Loans, \$1,133,786,100; decrease, \$1,783,600.
Deposits, \$1,138,501,500; increase, \$1,333,500.
Circulation, \$62,263,700; decrease, \$789,600.
Legal tender, \$67,012,500; decrease, \$1,601,300.
Special, \$258,139,600; increase, \$7,896,900.
Reserve, \$325,152,100; increase, \$6,295,600.
Reserve required, \$284,625,375; increase, \$2,833,375.
Surplus, \$40,520,725; increase, \$3,462,225.
Ex-U. S. Deposits, \$55,782,725; increase, \$1,316,125.

AMERICAN KENNEL CLUB.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—At a meeting of the newly appointed referendum committee of the American Kennel Club held here yesterday, it was decided after a long discussion to leave the question of constitutional reconstruction to a sub-committee of 12 to be appointed by W. G. Rockefeller with John G. Gates as secretary.

DAN KELLY LOSES OUT

Falls For Place In A Trial Heat

SMITHSON ALSO RAN

Boston Athletic Club Holds Indoor Games With Two Oregon Entries.

THEY MAKE A POOR SHOWING

Dan Kelly Who Holds World's Championship for 100-Yard Dash, Fails to Make Good Expectations—Smithson of Portland Also Outrun.

BOSTON, Feb. 1.—All the prominent athletes of the big colleges and the big clubs of the east, participated tonight in the annual indoor games held under the auspices of the Boston Athletic Association. Prominent among those who entered were Dan Kelly, the holder of the record for the 100-yard dash, and Forest Smithson of Portland, Oregon. These men failed to win a place and Kelly was shut out in the trial heat. The 45-yard hurdles was won by Shaw, of Dartmouth, scratch; O. E. Holman, Dartmouth, second; eight feet; and Smithson, third, scratch; time, six seconds.

HALL-MAYS CASE.

Heney Coaxed Mays Into and Admission Before Latter Got Wise.

PORTLAND, Feb. 1.—F. J. Heney and former ex-Deputy United States District Attorney Edwin Mays, co-defendant with ex-United States District Attorney Hall in the conspiracy case now on trial in the Federal court today came to loggerheads while Mays was undergoing a cross-examination by Heney. It was at first an interesting display of verbal warfare that has occurred during the trial and it came after Heney had coaxed Mays out beyond his depth in explaining why he had not secured indictments of the parties connected with the alleged "Thayer frauds" in Western Oregon. Mays declared he refused to grant immunity to entrymen to induce them to testify against those who are alleged to be the real conspirators.

"You did not expect these men to offer their services as witnesses if they knew they were to be prosecuted on the same basis as real conspirators?" interrogated Heney.

"If I am to understand from your question," answered Mays, "That you wish to know whether or not I approve of your policy of conducting land fraud prosecutions, I can say I do not."

"No," retorted Heney, heatedly, "I know that, of course you do not endorse my policy, but it is fact, is it not, that all the time you were deputy district attorney you never secured a single conviction for land fraud?"

STEERAGE PASSENGERS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Figures compiled by steamship agents show that nearly four times as many steerage passengers were carried on east-bound steamers during January from North Atlantic ports as traveled to this country in the steerage during the same period, the figures being 254,432 arrivals and 58,837 departures.